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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re original application of:

Applicant : Kenneth C. Hart  
Serial No. : 09/919,786  
Filed : August 1, 2001  
Title of Invention : AIR-INFLATABLE INSULATED COOLER WITH AT LEAST  
ONE REMOVABLE PRINTABLE EXTERIOR SURFACE  
Examiner : Stephen Garbe  
Group Art Unit : 3727  
Attorney Docket : 134-001USA000

Honorable Commissioner of Patents  
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED OCTOBER 16, 2004**

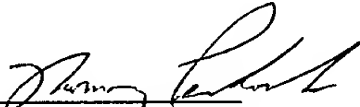
Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed in the above-referenced Application on October 16, 2004, Applicant submits herewith a Petition for Three Month Extension of Time and USPTO Credit Card Payment Form, in payment of the requisite fees of \$475.00.

Due to the final nature of this Office Action, Applicant has filed a new Continuation Application Under 1.53(b) in order to continue prosecution of the subject matter set forth in the present Application. This new Continuation Application under 1.53(b) has been filed under a separate cover.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: April 16, 2004

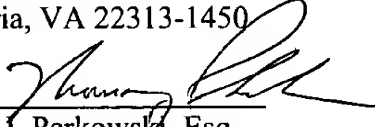
  
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